

2. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein said control means [(CU1)] communicates with an external system [(E)] which in turn comprises event related data, which data can either be called upon by the control means [(CU1)] or be transferred thereto when certain events occur, so as to initiate the creation of one or more groups of communication channels, substantially on the basis of external events.

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3. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [1] 2, [characterized in that] wherein said events may comprise a date, stock [exchange] exchange thresholds, temperature measurements, registration forms with parameters for transfer of information, or similar events with appropriate monitoring thereof.

4. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that examples of] wherein said services may comprise[:] voice communication, services[, etc.] and [that examples of] wherein said communication networks include [are]: Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN), Public Land Mobile Network (PLMN), integrated Services [Digial] Digital Network (ISDN) as well as Internet[, etc].

5. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein said control means comprises two logical interacting control units [(CU1, CU2)] located within one or more of said communication network(s).

6. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [1] 5, [characterized in that] wherein said control units [(CU1, CU2)] are interconnected by a communication path.

7. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [1] 5, [characterized in that] wherein one of said control units [(CU1)] is connected to said external system [(E) preferably] by a communication path [(D)] through which said one control unit [(CU1)] receives control information to be used by said one control unit [(CU1)].

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8. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 7, [characterized in that] wherein said control information [(D)] which is transferred from the external system [(E)] to said one control unit [(CU1)] can also be used by a [said] second of said control units [(CU2)] for establishing sessions.

9. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [7] 8, [characterized in that] wherein the information [(D)] transferred from said external system [(E)] to said [two] first and second control units [(CU1, CU2)] may be transferred respectively therefrom to one or more parties involved in the channels to be established.

10. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [1] 5, [characterized in that] wherein one of said control units [(CU1)] is adapted to either initiate a transfer of input [(D)] from said external system [(E)] and is also adapted to receive an input [(D)]

from said external system [(E)] upon initiation from the latter, especially when certain events occur.

11. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim [1] 5, [characterized in that] wherein said one control unit [(CU1)] comprises logic means for monitoring events of interest, said logic means being adapted for triggering a transfer of input [(D)] from said external system [(E)] when any parameter associated with any event of interest so demands.

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12. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 11, [characterized in that] wherein said one control unit [(CU1)] comprises a key [(K)] generating means, the key [(K)] thereof being adapted to fa[s]cilitate automatic correlation of information sent on said communication channels [(S1 and S2)], specifically at the terminal equipment of the parties involved.

13. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 12, [characterized in that] wherein said correlation key [(K)] is generated based upon the information contained in the data [(D)] transferred from said external system [(E) for example] which may be based on:

- a) the telephone number of one of the parties [(A)],
- b) further information contained in said control unit [(CU1)], or
- c) [or] both.

14. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein when a key [(K)] has been generated in said control means [(CU1)], then said control means [(CU1)] will establish one or more communication channels [(S1)], more Particularly based upon information contained as control information in said data [(D)] received from said external system [(E)], possibly based upon information contained in said one control unit [(CU1)].

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15. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein said control means [(CU1)] is adapted to act as one of the parties in a session [(S1)], or as the placing party, for example with stored voice messages in a telephone call/session.

16. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein said control means [(CU1)] is adapted to transfer the relevant key [(K)] on to established communication channels [(S1)], and if said control means [(CU1)] acts as a party in a session then further information, especially user information obtained from said external system [(E)] or contained in the control means [(CU1)] itself may be distributed therefrom on to one or more communication channels [(S1)].

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17. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein said control means [(CU1)] is adapted to transfer the relevant key [(K)] as well as additional control information to any further control means [(CU2)], for thereby

allowing said further control means [(CU2)] to establish one or more further communication channels [(S2)] based upon said key [(K)] or based upon information contained in said further control means [(CU2)].

NE. 18. (Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 17, [characterized in that] wherein said further control means [(CU2)] is adapted to transfer the relevant key [(K)] on to established communication channels [(S2)].

NE. 19. (Twice Amended) Arrangement as claimed in claim 1, [characterized in that] wherein if one party is involved in two or more of the established sessions, then the key [(K)] received by said party may be used to correlate said particular session or sessions, provided said party has received said key [(K)] on all communication channels belonging to the associated group of communication channels or group of sessions.

REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing amendment(s) is respectfully requested.

The claims have been amended to eliminate multiple dependency and to place them in better condition for U.S. patent practice.